# MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 8(N)(16)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

November 1, 2016

FROM:

Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution declaring the acquisition of the designated property known as Parcel 134 for improvements to SW 137 Avenue, from US-1 (SR 5) to SW 200 Street, to be a public necessity; and authorizing the County Mayor and the County Attorney to take any and all appropriate actions to accomplish acquisition of the subject property in fee simple, by negotiation, donation, right-of-way designation, purchase at values established by appraisals or tax assessed values whichever is the higher of the two, and authorizing the County Mayor to make an additional incentive offer to purchase Parcel 134 prior to the filing of an eminent domain action in a total amount not to exceed 15 percent over the appraised value, together with reasonable attorney fees and costs pursuant to sections 73.091 and 73.092, Florida Statues, or by eminent domain court proceeding including declarations of taking, as necessary; and authorizing the use of Charter County Transportation Surtax funds for such purposes

The accompanying resolution was prepared by the Transportation and Public Works Department and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava.

County Attorney

APW/smm



Date:

November 1, 2016

To:

Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From:

Carlos A. Gimenez

Mayor

Subject:

Resolution Declaring the Acquisition of the Designated Property Known as Parcel 134 for Right-of-Way Needed for the Project Entitled Improvements to SW 137 Avenue, from US-1 (SR 5) to SW 200 Street to be a Public Necessity, and Authorizing the Use of Charter County Transportation Surtax Bond Fund Proceeds

for Such Purposes

## RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners (Board) approve the attached Resolution declaring the acquisition of Parcel 134, required for road widening improvements to SW 137 Avenue from US-1 (SR 5) to SW 200 Street (Project), to be a public necessity; and authorizing the County Mayor or the County Mayor's Designee and the County Attorney to employ appraisers, expert witnesses, obtain environmental audits, and to take any and all appropriate actions to acquire the subject parcel in fee simple, either by negotiation, donation, right-of-way designation, purchase at values established by appraisals, or tax assessed values whichever is higher of the two, together with business damages and reasonable attorney fees and costs pursuant to Sections 73.091 and 73.092 Florida Statutes, or eminent domain court proceedings including a declaration of taking as necessary for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County, and authorizing the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to make an additional incentive offer to purchase Parcel 134 for a total amount not to exceed 15 percent over the appraised value.

## SCOPE

The impact of this Project is Countywide; however, it is located within Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava's District 8.

#### FISCAL IMPACT/FUNDING SOURCE

Funding for the right-of-way, design, and construction of this Project are provided by the Charter County Transportation Surtax Bond Fund proceeds, and may be supplemented by other eligible funding sources. Funding is programmed within the adopted FY 2015-16 Right-of-Way Acquisition for Construction Projects Countywide (P2000000537) Site 76078 in Commission District 8.

#### TRACK RECORD/MONITOR

The Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTPW) is the entity overseeing this item and the person responsible is Mr. Francisco Fernandez, Chief Real Estate Officer, DTPW, Roadway Engineering and Right-of Way Division.

### **DELEGATED AUTHORITY**

In accordance with Section 2-8.3 of the Miami-Dade County Code related to identifying delegation of Board authority, there are no additional authorities beyond those specified in the Resolution.

Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime and Members, Board of County Commissioners Page 2

# **BACKGROUND**

This Project originally required the acquisition of 46 separate parcels. However, in an effort to minimize costs while maintaining the integrity of the Project, and adhering to the objectives set by the Board, the Project was value engineered and redesigned. The proposed Project consists of roadway expansion, beautification, and improvements for a new two-lane road with sidewalks, curb and gutter, a continuous storm drainage system, signalization, pavement markings and signage, a center turn lane, street lighting, bicycle facilities, a bridge crossing over one canal, and a culvert for a canal.

The area to be acquired by DTPW for the Project is legally described in Exhibit "A" and illustrated in the parcel location map attached as Exhibit "B". This Project will improve traffic mobility and will provide an additional north-south evacuation route. It is recommended that in order to reduce time and costs, and to avoid the expense of litigation, administration be granted authorization to issue an incentive offer added to the initial offer to purchase Parcel 134 prior to the filling of an eminent domain action. The total amount of the incentive and initial offers shall be no more than 15 percent over the appraised value of Parcel 134.

.

| то:    | Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime and Members, Board of County Commissioners   | DATE:           | November 1, 2016 |          |
|--------|--|-----------------|------------------|----------|
| FROM:  | Abigail Price-Williams County Attorney   | SUBJECT:        | Agenda Item No.  | 8(N)(16) |
| Pl     | ease note any items checked.   |                 |                  |          |
|        | "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if 1                                    | raised          |                  |          |
|        | 6 weeks required between first reading and                                     | public hearing  | 7                |          |
|        | 4 weeks notification to municipal officials re<br>hearing                      | equired prior t | o public         |          |
|        | Decreases revenues or increases expenditur                                     | es without bala | nncing budget    | •        |
|        | Budget required  |                 |                  |          |
|        | Statement of fiscal impact required  |                 |                  |          |
| ·      | Statement of social equity required  |                 |                  |          |
| . ———— | Ordinance creating a new board requires de report for public hearing           | etailed County  | Mayor's          |          |
|        | No committee review  |                 | •                | ,        |
|        | Applicable legislation requires more than a radio 3/5's, unanimous) to approve | majority vote ( | i.e., 2/3's,     |          |
|        | Current information regarding funding sour                                     | ce, index code  | and available    |          |

balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

| Approved | <u>Mayor</u> | Agenda Item No. | 8(N)(16) |
|----------|--------------|-----------------|----------|
| Veto     |              | 11-1-16         |          |
| Override |              |                 |          |
|          |              |                 |          |

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE ACQUISITION OF THE DESIGNATED PROPERTY KNOWN AS PARCEL 134 FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO SW 137 AVENUE, FROM US-1 (SR 5) TO SW 200 STREET, TO BE A PUBLIC NECESSITY; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE AND THE COUNTY ATTORNEY TO TAKE ANY AND ALL APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO ACCOMPLISH ACQUISITION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IN FEE SIMPLE, BY NEGOTIATION, DONATION, RIGHT-OF-WAY DESIGNATION, PURCHASE AT VALUES ESTABLISHED BY APPRAISALS OR TAX ASSESSED VALUES WHICHEVER IS THE HIGHER OF THE TWO, AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO MAKE AN ADDITIONAL INCENTIVE OFFER TO PURCHASE PARCEL 134 PRIOR TO THE FILING OF AN EMINENT DOMAIN ACTION IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED 15 PERCENT OVER THE APPRAISED VALUE, TOGETHER WITH REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 73.091 AND 73.092, FLORIDA STATUES, OR BY EMINENT DOMAIN COURT PROCEEDING INCLUDING DECLARATIONS OF TAKING, AS NECESSARY; AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF CHARTER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SURTAX BOND FUND PROCEEDS FOR SUCH PURPOSES

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference; and

WHEREAS, this Board finds and declares the acquisition in fee simple of the property known as Parcel 134 as legally described in Exhibit "A" and shown on the project location map in Exhibit "B" attached hereto and made a part hereof, for the public purpose of roadway expansion and improvements to SW 137 Avenue, from US-1 (SR 5) to SW 200 Street, to be required and necessary to accomplish such improvements; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County is authorized under the Constitution and Laws of Florida, including Chapters 73, 74, 125, 127 and 341, Florida Statues, and Sections 1.01 (A) (1), (2) and (21), of the Home Rule Charter of Miami-Dade County, to acquire said property by eminent domain proceedings,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that:

Section 1. This Board ratifies and adopts these matters set forth in the foregoing recitals.

Section 2. This Board finds and declares that the acquisition of the subject parcel, as legally described in "Exhibit A" attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, is needed for the public purpose of improvements to SW 137 Avenue, from US-1 (SR 5) to SW 200 Street.

Section 3. This Board authorizes and directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee and County Attorney to employ appraisers, expert witnesses, obtain environmental audits, and to take any and all appropriate actions to acquire the subject parcel, as legally described in Exhibit A" in fee simple, including any businesses thereon, either by negotiations, donation, right-of-way designation, purchase at values established by appraisals or tax assessed value whichever is the higher of the two together with reasonable attorney fees, expert fees and cost pursuant to Sections 73.091 and 73.092, Florida Statutes, or eminent domain court proceedings including a declaration of taking as necessary for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County, and authorizes the use of Charter County Transportation Surtax Bond Fund proceeds for such purchase. In order to potentially reduce project time and to avoid the expense of litigation, the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee is further authorized to issue an incentive offer to purchase Parcel 134, prior to the filing of litigation, in a total amount not to exceed 15 percent over the appraised value of Parcel 134.

Section 4. Pursuant to Resolution No. R-974-09, this Board directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to record the instruments of conveyances accepted herein in the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; and provide a recorded copy of the instrument to the Clerk of the Board within 30 days of execution of said instrument; and (b) direct the Clerk of the Board to attach and permanently store a recorded copy of said instruments together with this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Jean Monestime, Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Vice Chairman

Bruno A. Barreiro Jose "Pepe" Diaz Sally A. Heyman Dennis C. Moss Sen. Javier D. Souto Juan C. Zapata

Daniella Levine Cava Audrey M. Edmonson Barbara J. Jordan Rebeca Sosa Xavier L. Suarez

Agenda Item No. 8(N)(16) Page No. 4

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2016. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board, or (2) approval by the County Mayor of this Resolution and the filing of this approval with the Clerk of the Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By:\_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

M

Debra Herman

## LEGAL DESCRIPTION

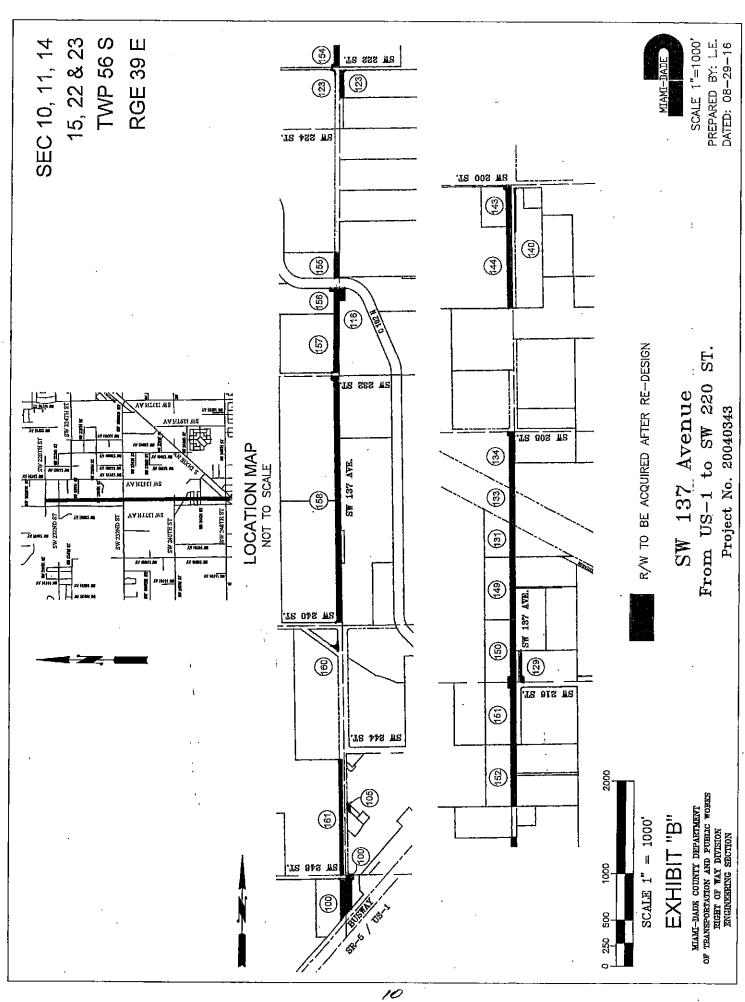
(FEE SIMPLE)

A PORTION OF THE SE 1/4, OF SECTION 10, TOWNSHIP 56 SOUTH, RANGE 39 EAST, LYING AND BEING IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA; BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

BEGINNING AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 10; THENCE S 00° 39′ 52″ E ALONG THE EAST LINE OF THE SE 1/4 OF SAID SECTION 10, FOR 639.68 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF THE FLORIDA POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY RIGHT WAY; THENCE N 62° 48′ 53″ W ALONG SAID NORTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE, FOR 62.20 FEET TO A POINT ON A LINE PARALLEL WITH AND 55.00 FEET WEST OF THE EAST LINE OF SAID SECTION 10; THENCE N 00° 39′ 52″ W, ALONG SAID PARALLEL LINE, FOR 550.22 FEET TO THE POINT OF CURVATURE OF A CIRCULAR CURVE CONCAVE TO THE SOUTHWEST; THENCE NORTHWESTERLY ALONG THE ARC OF SAID CURVE TO THE LEFT, HAVING A RADIUS OF 25.00 FEET, A CENTRAL ANGLE OF 90° 17′ 14″, FOR AN ARC DISTANCE OF 39.40 FEET TO A POINT; THENCE N 00° 57′ 06″ W, FOR 35.00 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 10; THENCE N 89° 02′ 54″ E ALONG SAID NORTH LINE, FOR 80.30 FEET TO THE POINT! OF BEGINNING.

**EXHIBIT "A"** 

PARCEL 134 Mod Project No. 20040343 1 of 1





## Memorandum



To:

Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From:

Charles Scurr, Executive Director

Date:

October 13, 2016

Re:

CITT AGENDA ITEM 5A:

RESOLUTION BY THE CITIZENS' INDEPENDENT TRANSPORTATION TRUST (CITT) RECOMMENDING THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS (BCC), DECLARE THE ACQUISITION OF TWENTY-TWO (22) DESIGNATED PROPERTIES FOR THE PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION PLAN (PTP) PROJECT ENTITLED IMPROVEMENTS TO SW 137 AVENUE, FROM US-1 (SR 5) TO SW 200 STREET, TO BE A PUBLIC NECESSITY; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE AND THE COUNTY ATTORNEY TO TAKE ANY AND ALL APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO ACCOMPLISH ACQUISITION OF THE SUBJECT PROPERTY IN FEE SIMPLE, BY NEGOTIATION, DONATION, RIGHT-OF-WAY DESIGNATION, PURCHASE AT VALUES ESTABLISHED BY APPRAISALS OR TAX ASSESSED VALUES WHICHEVER IS THE HIGHER OF THE TWO, AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO MAKE AN ADDITIONAL INCENTIVE OFFER TO PURCHASE PARCEL 100 PRIOR TO THE FILING OF AN EMINENT DOMAIN ACTION IN A TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED 15 PERCENT OVER THE APPRAISED VALUE, TOGETHER WITH REASONABLE ATTORNEY FEES AND COSTS PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 73.091 AND 73.092, FLORIDA STATUES, OR BY EMINENT DOMAIN COURT PROCEEDING INCLUDING DECLARATIONS OF TAKING, AS NECESSARY; AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF CHARTER COUNTY TRANSPORTATION SURTAX FUNDS FOR SUCH PURPOSES (DTPW - BCC Legislative File No. SEE ATTACHED LIST)

On October 13, 2016, the CITT voted (11-0) to forward a favorable recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) for the approval of the above referenced item. CITT Resolution No. 16-049. The vote was as follows:

> Hon. Anna E. Lightfoot-Ward, Ph.D, Chairperson - Aye Glenn J. Downing, CFP®, 1st Vice Chairperson - Aye Joseph Curbelo, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairperson – Aye

Alfred Holzman - Aye Peter L. Forrest – Aye Prakash Kumar - Aye Alicia Menardy, Esq - Aye Paul J. Schwiep, Esq. - Absent L. Elijah Stiers, Esq. - Aye

Oscar Braynon - Ave Ricardo E. Gonzalez - Absent Jonathan Martinez - Absent Miles E. Moss, P.E. - Ave Marilyn Smith - Ave Hon. Linda Zilber - Absent

| Paraola | PCC File Number |
|---------|-----------------|
| Parcels | BCC File Number |
| 100     | 162092          |
| 105     | 162094          |
| 116     | 162101          |
| 123     | 162107          |
| 129     | 162108          |
| 131     | 162109          |
| 133     | 162110          |
| 134     | 162111          |
| 140     | 162112          |
| 143     | 162113          |
| 144     | 162114          |
| 149     | 162115          |
| 150     | 162116          |
| 151     | 162091          |
| 152     | 162093          |
| 154     | 162096          |
| 155     | 162119          |
| 156     | 162120          |
| 157     | 162121          |
| 158     | 162122          |
| 160     | 162124          |
| 161     | 162125          |